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Four More Faculty Members To Benefit from ALC Grants

Four additional faculty members at Pacific Lutheran University have received study grants from the Board of College Education of the American Lutheran Church (ALC), announced President Robert Mortvedt.

The recipients and their awards are Dr. Burton Ostenson, professor of biology, and Maurice Skones, associate professor of music, Faculty Growth Awards; and James Halseth, instructor in history, and Burton Holmberg, instructor in psychology, Future Faculty Fellowships.

Last month the ALC board announced that Grace Blomquist, associate professor of English, had received a Faculty Growth Award to study and travel in Europe during the coming summer.

The largest of the five grants went to Dr. Ostenson who will spend the coming academic year studying at several colleges, including the University of Michigan. The biology professor, who will be on sabbatical leave from PLU, will use the library and museum facilities at the Michigan school to finish a research paper on North American mammals.

This is the second leave for Dr. Ostenson who has been on the PLU faculty since 1947.

He graduated from Luther College and received both his advanced degrees in zoology from the University of Michigan.

In addition to studying mammals next year, Dr. Ostenson plans to make a study of undergraduate curriculums used by science departments in other universities.

Skones is currently on leave to work toward a doctorate in music at the University of Arizona. The ALC award will enable him to continue through the summer months.

At PLU Skones is director of the Choir of the West and chairman of the music department. He is a graduate of Concordia College, Moorhead, Minn., and Montana State University.

The two Future Faculty Fellowships, awarded by the ALC to faculty members at the instructor level who want to earn higher degrees, will enable Halseth and Holmberg to complete their doctorates.

Holmberg, an instructor in psychology at PLU since 1964, will return to the University of Idaho to earn his degree in counseling and testing.

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ROUNDTABLE

All five members of the history department, W.C. Schnackenberg, Philip Nordquist, James Halseth, Arthur Martinson and Elvin Akre, will be in Spokane this weekend attending the annual convention of the Pacific Northwest History Conference . . . Dr. Jane Williamson (education) is in Detroit, Mich., attending a meeting of the American Personnel and Guidance Association . . . also in Detroit is Margaret Wickstrom (dean of women) attending the annual convention of the Association of Women Deans and Counselors . . . Dr. Daniel Leasure (v.p.-student affairs) is in Minneapolis at the national meeting of the Association of Student Personnel Administrators . . . he will return Wednesday . . . Val Berntsen (maintenance) is out of the hospital and resting from surgery . . . Welcome to Melvin Edwards, a new member of the grounds crew, and welcome back to Hugh Evans who returns each spring to work until fall with the grounds crew . . . Dick Kunkle, former news bureau chief from 1963-66, is in Tacoma working on the sports staff of the Tacoma News Tribune . . . he had been on the staff of his alma mater, Waynesburg (Penn.) College . . . the Kunkles are living at 1002 S. 117th . . . Dr. Lee Ford, former member of the biology faculty, was a recent campus visitor . . . she is enroute to Staten Island, N.Y. where she has accepted a position to set up a genetics program for the Institute of Basic Research . . . George Roskos (art) has four sculptures on display in the "Past Presidents' Exhibit" at the Hanforth Gallery in the Tacoma Public Library . . . the exhibit, honoring former presidents of the Lakewood Artists' Association, will continue through the end of the month . . . Mrs. Jean Roskos, also a past president of the group, has four paintings on display . . . Mrs. Linda Olson and Dr. Doris Stucke (nursing) will attend the State of Washington Conference on Health at the Pacific Science Center in Seattle April 19 and 20 . . . Dr. Robert Mortvedt (president) will be in Portland to address the meeting of the Portland-area alumni group . . . Dr. Emmet Eklund (religion) will be participating in a West Coast Study Group of the Lutheran World Federation soon . . .

SALE AT For the second week, there will be a sale at PLU's nursery at 127th and "A" Streets. Hot items are: juniper pyramidalis, \$1.50; ginko biloba (maiden hair trees), \$1.00; and morine locust, \$1.75. The sale is on Saturday.

NURSERY

FACULTY The Idaho school has awarded him a fellowship to teach part-time while attending classes.

AWARDS (cont'd) A 1962 graduate of Central Washington State College, Holmberg remained at the Ellensburg school to receive his master of education degree. Last summer he attended the University of Idaho.

Halseth, a graduate of Concordia College, Moorhead, Minn., and Eastern New Mexico University, will spend the next academic year completing his doctoral dissertation at Texas Technological College.

Like Holmberg, Halseth has received a teaching fellowship. He has been a member of PLU's faculty since 1966.

ROUNDTABLE (continued)

Lucille Johnson (English) is attending the Composition and Communications Conference in Minneapolis . . . she returns Saturday . . . Kenneth Dunmire (university photographer) is in Colorado Springs, Colo., attending a meeting of the University Photographers Association . . . Dr. K.T. Tang, (physics) recently had three articles published relating to his research . . . they were published in "The Faraday Society," "The Journal of Chemical Physics" and the most recent has been accepted for publication in the "Physical Review." The titles of these articles are: "Quantum-Mechanical Study of H and H₂ Reactive Scattering," "Quantum Theory of (H, H₂) Scattering: Two-body Potential and Elastic Scattering," and "Padé Approximate Calculation of the Non-Retarded van der Waals Coefficients for Two and Three Helium Atoms."

BIRTHDAYS

Mark Anderson	April 4
Lillian Mohr	April 7
Muriel Garner	April 9
Paul Hartman	April 10
Grace Blomquist	April 10

Michael McKean On His Way to Geneva Meeting

A Pacific Lutheran University senior, one of seven delegates named to represent the United States at a week-long student meeting in Geneva, Switzerland, left Thursday for a briefing in New York City.



McKean

Michael McKean of Aberdeen, Wash., will represent his country at the 16th annual Conference of the International Student Movement for the United Nations. He will be the only West Coast delegate attending the meeting.

The seven representatives will meet for two days in New York with members of the United States' delegation to the U.N. Then the students will fly to Geneva where the conference will be held in the Palace of Nations.

Delegates from 122 countries will be in attendance to discuss the issue of "Vietnam and the United Nations." McKean stated that the U.S. students must be prepared to explain the role of their country in the Asian conflict.

McKean, who personally doesn't agree with the U.S. administration's Vietnam policy, said that the American delegates "only have to explain, not defend," its position.

An active political science student, McKean has served in several functions at PLU, plus being president of the senior class.

Friday Noon Music Features Student Artists

Student recitals by seven Pacific Lutheran University musicians will be featured at 12:30 p.m. Friday in East-vold Auditorium.

There will be no Friday Noon Music next week due to Easter vacation. However, on the following Friday Blossom Cohon and Kathryn Strickland will perform a lecture-demonstration duet.

On Friday Dalwyn Olberg will play J.S. Bach's "Prelude and Fugue in G Minor" on the piano. Daniel Howe, baritone, will be accompanied by Linda Peterson in performing G.F. Handel's "Where'er You Walk."

Next Jill Farver will play the piano version of Joseph Haydn's "Sonata in E Flat," first movement-allegro.

Charlotte Olberg, a lyric soprano, will be accompanied by Darlene Olson in her presentation of Giacomo Puccini's "Musetta's Waltz." Bruce Gallagher will follow with a piano version of "Dmitri Kabalevsky's "Sonatina, Opus 13 No. 1."

Genevieve Baird, playing the flute, will be accompanied by James Goodman in her presentation of Henri Dutilleux' "Sonatina." Goodman will then perform Claude Debussy's "Wind on the Plains" and "Minstrels."

Faculty Wives Reminded To Buy Lunch Tickets

Members of the Faculty Wives Club are reminded to purchase their tickets for the Spring Luncheon to be held at 12:30 p.m., April 27, at the Lakewood Terrace.

Murray Morgan, well-known Northwest author, will be the guest speaker.

Tickets may be purchased from Mrs. Sharon Bassett by sending a check for \$2.25 through the campus mail to Dr. Bassett in care of the Speech Department.

Radio Orchestra of Canada To Present Final

Artist Series Program of Year on April 19

The appearance of the Radio Orchestra of Canada April 19 at Pacific Lutheran University will complete the college's Artist Series presentations for the academic year.



GUEST ARTIST--John Avison will bring his Canadian orchestra to PLU April 19.

Tickets for the 8:15 p.m. Friday performance may be reserved, starting Tuesday, April 16, by calling PLU's ticket office in Eastvold Auditorium.

In an age when live-radio broadcasts of symphonic music are virtually extinct, the Radio Orchestra of Canada enjoys an enviable position among the performing arts.

Each week for the past 21 years the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation's Vancouver-based radio orchestra has been heard in an hour-long broadcast. John Avison, one of Canada's few native conductors, has been directing the symphony since 1939.

The orchestra is small - 30 performers, but it is designed to fill the gap in orchestral scope between the small virtuoso-string group and the full-symphony orchestra. It is considered to be one of the most distinguished groups of its kind in North America.

With a repertoire established from years of continuous broadcasting on the CBC network, the orchestra is now on a tour of Western Canada and the United States.

Specialty of the orchestra is 17th- and 18th-century music, but of particular interest is the fact that the small group performs contemporary numbers. Because of its size, the orchestra doesn't attempt to perform works designed for a full symphony. Instead, the repertoire consists of works written especially for a musical group of its size.

Born in Vancouver, the conductor attended the University of British Columbia and the University of Washington. He did post-graduate work at Julliard School of Music and Yale University.

In 1966 he was associate conductor of the National Youth Orchestra. He has recorded with the Vancouver (B.C.) Chamber Orchestra on the record "Canadiana."

'Credibility Gap' Not PLU Problem

If there is a "credibility gap" between the students at PLU, and their faculty and administrators, it wasn't obvious to Glen E. Peterson who interviewed nearly five per cent of the student body last week.

The doctoral candidate, presently on leave from Augustana College, visited PLU for two days to conduct part of his research of the American Lutheran Church's colleges. In talking to the PLU students Peterson reported that they were satisfied that the administration was honest; and that a student who had a question had little trouble receiving an answer.

Peterson did mention, however, that the student's main complaint dealt with the compulsory-chapel issue.

In visiting the 12 ALC colleges, Peterson hopes to gain the reactions of over 1,100 students in their school's student personnel program. The report, being made for Michigan State University, will be available later to the colleges to help them strengthen their programs.

UPS Geology Professor To Give Guest Lecture

Dr. Norman Anderson, professor of geology at the University of Puget Sound, will present a guest lecture at 10:30 a.m., Friday, in room 108 of Ramstad Hall.

The talk, to be supplemented by a slide presentation, will be concerned with the geology of the State of Washington.

Donald Ringe, assistant professor of geology, said that the lecture will be of special interest to the geology students, but will also inform the laymen. The public is invited.



EXAMINES PAINTING--Kathy Tekse examines painting in University Gallery.

Paintings on Display

Paintings by John Bashor, chairman of the school of art at Montana State University are currently on display in the Gallery of the Robert Mortvedt Library. The oil prints will remain on display through the end of the month. The artist will be on campus later this month to make a tour of the show.



No Knightletter Next Week

Due to Easter Vacation